



May 21, 2004

Mr. Abhijit J. Bagde, P.E., Senior Transportation Engineer
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Subject: 2004 Motorized Recreational Trails Program Project for Inclusion into States Transportation Improvement Plan (STIP)

Dear Mr. Bagde:

The Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation (OHMVR) Division of California Department of Parks and Recreation administers the Motorized Recreational Trails Program (RTP) for the State. The OHMVR Division has just selected the 2004 Motorized Recreational Trails Program Projects for funding. The next step is to get the project amended into the STIP.

Please take the necessary action to program the following project into the STIP:

1. RTM-04-001 – Bogard Trailhead Construction – El Dorado County
2. RTM-04-009 – Sport Utility Access Guide – Mono County
3. RTM-04-004 - 12th Agricultural District Ukiah Urban OHV Complex – Mendocino County

A project information sheet for project is enclosed. When the project has been amended into the STIP, please send some type of confirmation to the OHMVR Division.

If there are any questions, please contact Clark Woy at (916) 324-1567 or via e-mail at cwoy@parks.ca.gov. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Rick LeFlore, Superintendent IV
Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation Division

Enclosure

May 27, 2004

Mr. Brian Zewe
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Sacramento, CA 95814

Subject: Motorized Recreational Trails Program Projects for - 2004

Dear Mr. Zewe:

The Off-Highway Motorized Recreation (OHMVR) Division has recommended that **\$812,400** be awarded to eight motorized RTP projects. The eight projects below are being submitted for obligation for Federal Fiscal Year 2004 funds. The 7% state administrative cost is not included in the amount above.

The Division plans to submit the following grants to the appropriate Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPO's) for inclusion into the TIP.

The following projects are approved by the OHMVR Division for funding:

Number	Title	Applicant	Federal	Match	Total
RTM-04-001	Bogard Trailhead Construction*	Lassen NF	\$285,000	\$71,250	\$356,250
RTM-04-002	Camp Fire USA OHV Partnership*	Camp Fire USA	\$54,800	\$13,700	\$68,500
RTM-04-003	El Dorado Co. Rubicon Trail	El Dorado County	\$70,000	\$17,500	\$87,500
RTM-04-004	Ukiah Urban OHV Complex	12 Agricultural Dist	\$98,300	\$38,275	\$122,875
RTM-04-005	Frank Raines Regional Park- Restoration	Stanislaus County	\$131,000	\$32,750	\$163,750
RTM-04-007	El Mirage Water Truck & Pressure Washer	Friends of El Mirage	\$82,500	\$20,625	\$103,125
RTM-04-008	El Mirage Boundary Fence*	Friends of El Mirage	\$46,800	\$11,700	\$58,500
RTM-04-009	Sport Utility Access Guide – Mono County	Mono County	\$44,000	\$11,000	\$55,000
Total			\$812,400	\$216,800	\$1,015,500

* Projects requiring additional California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) documentation. CEQA documentation has been requested from the applicant, if full documentation is not received the projects will not be funded.

* Project using educational funds (QR-2) from 2004 fiscal year (**bold**).

A detailed project information sheet for each project is enclosed. If you have any questions please call me at (916)-324-1567 or e-mail me at cwoy@parks.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Clark Woy, Administrator
California Department of Parks and Recreation
OHMVR Division
Motorized Recreational Trails Program

Enclosures

2004 Motorized Recreational Trails Program
Metropolitan Planning Organizations

Number	Ranking	Title	County	MPO	Amount	
					Requested	Approved
						Rounded
RTM-04-001	1	Bogard Trailhead Construction	Lassen	NON-MPO	\$285,000	\$285,000
RTM-04-003	2	El Dorado Co. Rubicon Trail	El Dorado	TMPO	\$99,675	\$70,000
RTM-04-009	3	Sport Utility Access Guide - Mono County	Mono	NON-MPO	\$44,000	\$44,000
RTM-04-005	4	Frank Raines Regional Park- Restoration	Stanislaus	STANCOG	\$200,000	\$131,000
RTM-04-004	5	12th Ag Ukiah Urban OHV Complex	Mendocino	NON-MPO	\$153,000	\$98,333
RTM-04-008	6	El Mirage Boundary Fence	San Bernardino	SCAG	\$46,868	\$46,800
RTM-04-007	7	Water Truck & Pressure Washer El Mirage	San Bernardino	SCAG	\$143,870	\$82,500
RTM-04-002	8	Camp Fire USA Partnership	Imperial	SCAG	\$130,000	\$54,737
RTM-04-006	9	Kern Co Sheriff Enforcement	Not funded		\$147,615	\$0
Total					\$1,250,028	\$812,438
						\$812,400

California Department of Parks and Recreation
Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation Division
Recreational Trails Program (Motorized)

Project Information 2003/2004

Name of Project: Sport Utility Vehicle Access Guide

Name of Fund Recipient: Mono County

Kind of Recipient: Local Agency

Amount of Grant: \$44,000

Project Location: Mono County

Classification of Land: N/A

Permissible Use: Category G - Educational Programs to promote safety and environmental protection.

Assured Access Funding Category: Diversified (Motorized/Non-Motorized)

Project Description: Design, print, distribute approximately 90,000 copies of a sport utility vehicle access guide, "Motor Touring in the Eastern Sierra"- Mono County

This Project is NOT subject to the continuing recreational use provision of Section 1302(e)(7).

Estimated Date of Completion: Spring 2005

Project Number: RTM-04-009

California Department of Parks and Recreation
Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation Division
Recreational Trails Program (Motorized)

Project Information 2003/2004

Name of Project: Ukiah Urban OHV Complex

Name of Fund Recipient: 12th District Agricultural Assoc. Redwood Empire Fair

Kind of Recipient: Special District

Amount of Grant: \$153,000

Project Location: Mendocino County

Classification of Land: State

Permissible Use: Category B - Development and rehabilitation of
trailside and trailhead facilities and trail linkage for recreational trails

Assured Access Funding Category: Diversified (Motorized/Non-Motorized)

Project Description: Relocation of a 3/8 mile urban OHV track within the fairgrounds. The track will be increased to 5/8 mile, irrigation/dust control, scoring tower, pit sound system, fencing, pit area, children's trails, OHV education signage, shade trees, tot playground, and restroom upgrade to ADA standards. Driving range will be reestablished.

This Project is NOT subject to the continuing recreational use provision of Section 1302(e)(7).

Estimated Date of Completion: One Year

Project Number: RTM-04-004

California Department of Parks and Recreation
Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation Division
Recreational Trails Program (Motorized)

Project Information 2003/2004

Name of Project: Bogard Trailhead Construction

Name of Fund Recipient: Lassen National Park

Kind of Recipient: Federal Agency

Amount of Grant: \$285,000

Project Location: Lassen County

Classification of Land: Federal

Permissible Use: Category B - Development and rehabilitation of
trailside and trailhead facilities and trail linkages for recreational trails

Assured Access Funding Category: Diversified (Motorized/Non-Motorized)

Project Description: Construction of a new recreational trailhead at Bogard to
accommodate 20 vehicles and trailers. The new trailhead will replace the existing
Bogard Rest Area when Caltrans reconstructs the site in 2004/2005.

This Project is NOT subject to the continuing recreational use provision of Section
1302(e)(7).

Estimated Date of Completion: One Year

Project Number: RTM-04-001